IN THE SUPREME COURT

OF THE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDMENT)
SDCL 15-6-4(e)

RULE 05-02

A hearing was held on February 17, 2005, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the amendment of SDCL 15-6-4(e), and the Court having considered the proposed amendment, the correspondence and oral presentations relating thereto and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that SDCL 15-6-4(e) be and it is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

SDCL 15-6-4(e). Substituted personal service of summons authorized. Service in the following manner shall also constitute personal service. If the defendant cannot be found conveniently, service may be made by leaving a copy at his dwelling house in the presence of a member of his family over the age of fourteen years or if the defendant resides in the family of another, with a member of such age of the family with which he resides.

IT FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective immediately.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 25th day of February, 2005.

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BY THE COURT:

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David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

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